

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

The Barton fair is to be held Aug. 22, 23 and 24.

Barton has organized a local chapter of the Red Cross society.

The annual Lake Champlain Yacht club regatta will be held Aug. 8.

A series of summer field meetings is to be held in Vermont under the auspices of the state geologist.

A small black bear was seen this week on the public highway near the home of Frank Dutton in Townshend.

The Bennington Welfare association is presenting "Julius Caesar" in a piece of woods in that town this week.

Rev. Hervey Gulick of Charlotte has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Bridport Congregational church.

James M. Shepard, for 12 years one of the rural mail carriers at South Royalton, died Sunday of heart disease.

Twenty-five books have been contributed by townspeople to the Riley E. Wright free public library in Coventry.

Miss Isadore Foss of Barton has received the appointment of librarian at Winchendon, Mass., and assumes her duties Sept. 1.

J. Lamere of Ludlow, a graduate of Middlebury college, has been engaged as principal of the West Rutland high school, succeeding L. E. Grow, who resigned.

Miss Ina Rust, for six months pastor at North Hyde Park, has been obliged because of ill health to give up the work, and has returned to her home in Chicago.

Police Officer Levi Vincent of the Burlington force has arrested William Woodward, an army deserter of two years ago, and has claimed his reward at the military post.

The directors of the Brattleboro Memorial hospital have appointed William A. Shumway treasurer to succeed the late Wilfred H. Brackett. He will begin his duties at once.

Dustin Connell, formerly employed in a Rutland garage, has been arrested and taken to Massachusetts charged with the theft of a Boston automobile that was recovered in Proctor.

Antoine Therian of Highgate Center is in a serious condition as the result of having been thrown from a horse which he was riding, striking on the back of his head and neck. The man is partially paralyzed.

Considerable difficulty is experienced in Rutland because of the scarcity of laborers. Fred H. Remington, who is putting in the new brick pavement, has a force of 12 men working where he could use 30 if he could get them.

Wayland Mills and Kenneth Partlow, who went for a little fishing expedition in Johnson a few days ago, caught with a pole which they cut from a nearby bush a trout which measured 22 inches in length and 10 inches at the largest circumference.

Edwin R. Bigelow of Stowe has gone to Sanguine Head, Marblehead, Mass., where he will attend the ninth reunion of "Master Bigelow's Boys." The association includes a group of men who were Mr. Bigelow's grammar school pupils between 1870 and 1876.

Rutland's preparedness parade, postponed because of inclement weather conditions on July 4, will be pulled off on Wednesday of the Rutland carnival week. The name of the parade has been changed, however, and it will be called the Vermont statehood parade.

Isaac Williamson, the Middlebury man who was last week placed under order to pay his wife a \$10 alimony each week, was again before the court Tuesday because he had failed to comply with the order. He is also obliged to keep off the streets after 8 o'clock at night.

Monday's electrical storm was very severe in Cambridge, where the residence of Charles Tucker was struck and badly damaged, a barn was unroofed for Willey brothers, two cows were killed belonging to Earl Prior, one for Mr. Bogue and one each for B. J. Baker and M. S. Hawley.

The sale of celluloid United States flags being conducted by the young ladies of Brattleboro under the auspices of the Board of Trade has netted a total of \$165 so far. The sum will be used for the benefit of the treasury of Company I, V. N. G.

Thomas Curry, known also as Thomas Reeves, who left his home in Hinesburg 10 days ago, has been found at Starksboro and brought back to Hinesburg by the Mack brothers, who have cared for him for several years. He apparently wandered indefinitely until he struck a job haying at Starksboro.

While experimenting in riding a motorcycle Monday, Guy C. Scott of Waterbury received injuries in being thrown to the ground which have kept him in bed since the accident. He has been deaf in one ear since the fall and has considerable pain in his head. He barely escaped concussion of the brain.

Douglas Dike, well known as a former member for two seasons of the Brattleboro club in the Twin State league, has been appointed a member of the Dean academy faculty at Franklin, Mass., and assistant coach of the football, basketball and baseball teams of that place.

Mrs. Mary E. Dunklee of Brattleboro, in attempting to prevent a child from falling to the sidewalk in front of her home, turned her ankle and herself fell, breaking her right hip bone. Dr. George R. Anderson reduced the fracture after she had been removed to the hospital.

Her husband a convict, burdened with a sick baby in her arms and herself in a delicate condition of health, Mrs. Mary Breeze, aged 27 years, was sent to Rutland Tuesday from Little Falls, N. Y., and is now stranded there, knowing no person and having less than 50 cents in her pocket. She refuses to be taken to the city poor farm, even for a short time.

and the police, who have no criminal charge against her, are at a loss as to what to do.

Mrs. E. A. Skeels of Hoyt street, St. Albans, has received a letter from her son, Dr. A. A. Skeels, formerly of that city, saying that he has been promoted from the rank of lieutenant to that of captain in the royal army medical corps. Dr. Skeels is stationed at Saloniki with the British troops and last month signed up for a year more of service.

The second-class liquor license of Michael Driscoll of St. Albans has been declared void by the license commissioners of that place because of the death of the licensee. The board will receive applications for another license of that class and the unexpired part of the license fee paid by Mr. Driscoll will be returned to the estate.

Joseph Ayer of Brattleboro, and now with Company D, first Connecticut infantry, stationed at Nogales, Ariz., lost all of the flesh and part of the bone of his left hand when a gun exploded in his hand while on the rifle range on July 31. The gun flew into many pieces and one of them slightly wounded a sergeant. Ayer's thumb will have to be amputated.

William A. Hutchinson and wife of Oak Park, Ill., and Mrs. Charles Hutchinson of Phoenix, Ariz., who have not been east for 50 years, came this summer on a motor trip and are visiting in the vicinity of St. Johnsbury, where Mr. Hutchinson worked before his departure. He has been postmaster at Oak Park for 18 years said to be the longest term on record for any first-class office in the United States. He was born in Sutton.

Natt L. Divil of Rockingham, who made an excellent record as senator from Windham county in the general assembly of 1915, announced Thursday that he would be a candidate to succeed himself and would seek the nomination in the primaries to be held in September. John A. Ware of Townshend, a veteran of both branches, is also a candidate from the northern district of the county. In the southern district the candidates of Herman E. Eddy, lawyer, of Brattleboro, and Frank A. Dewitt, banker, of Newfane, are announced.

Richard Avery, the eight-year-old boy who was found asleep on the Boston & Maine tracks near Brattleboro last week and was taken into custody by the police, has been turned over to a representative of the Massachusetts society in whose care he had been placed. The two lads, slightly older, who had taken Avery's money and left him on the tracks, gave themselves up in Charlestown, N. H., after finding that it was not Charlestown, Mass., as they had hoped. They were also taken back to Massachusetts by a representative.

Meteorologist W. A. Shaw of the Northfield station of the United States weather bureau reports a mean temperature for July of 60 degrees, which is two degrees above the normal July temperature in Northfield. The highest was 90 degrees, on the 12th, and the lowest was 44 degrees, on the 6th. The greatest daily range was 38 degrees, on the 6th, and the least daily range was three degrees, on the 4th. The precipitation amounted to 4.02 inches, the normal for the month being 3.70 inches. The prevailing wind was from the south, the total movement 4,233 miles, the average hourly velocity 5.7 miles, and the maximum velocity 27 miles per hour from the north on the 31st. The month was made up of five clear, 13 partly cloudy and 13 cloudy days. Precipitation in quantity sufficient to measure occurred on 12 days. Fog was noted on the 9th, 22d and 25th, and thunder storms occurred on the 2d, 8th, 12th, 13th, 17th, 21st, 22d, 24th and 31st.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

E. L. Ingalls, state club leader, under direction of the Vermont extension service, is spending the week in Windham and Windsor counties, promoting club work interests in co-operation with some of the Chautauquas. At these same Chautauquas, the state champions, or other boys and girls who have made exceptional records in their club work, give talks upon their club experiments.

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According to scientists a bee, weight for weight, is at least 30 times as strong as a horse.

BID ON LEASING OPERA HOUSE

Bids for the lease of the opera house for a term of one year from Sept. 11, 1916, will be received by the city council up to Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Specifications as to the conditions of the lease may be seen at the city clerk's office.

No bid under \$1,200.00 will be considered. The council reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

City of Barre.
JAMES MACKAY,
City Clerk.

TELEPHONE
YOUR WANTS
TO THE
BARRE TIMES
TEL. 310

AUTO CLUB AT RANDOLPH.

There Were About 135 Machines on the Trotting Park Thursday.

Randolph, Aug. 4.—The Automobile Club of Vermont held its annual meeting at the Randolph trotting park on Thursday, with an attendance of about 800 people. It was estimated that there were on the grounds about 135 automobiles. The Green Mountain band was present to furnish music for the day. Rev. Fraser Metzger gave the address of welcome, which was appreciated by all, and the speakers who followed were the president of the association, Dr. K. L. Cleaves, the secretary, Lester H. Greene, Gov. Gates and Stoddard Bates, state road commissioner. The latter spoke upon the roads at the present, as compared with those of many years ago, the improvement in condition making the state an attractive place for automobile tourists. A comparison of the amount expended in Massachusetts and Vermont was also given, and an appeal for better highways in the future being a good investment.

One hundred dollars was given in

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Auction Sale

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City Auction Market
SATURDAY, AUGUST 5
at 2 and 7:30 p. m.

A large line of goods for this sale: 100 pairs of men's, women's and children's shoes to clean up a stock of goods from out of town; a large line of household goods, consisting of iron beds, mattresses, dressers, commodore, chiffoniers, tables, chairs, roller-top writing desk, ranges, oil and gasoline ranges, pictures, mirrors, art squares, rugs, carpets, linoleum, 1 good cottage organ (Estey), mantel bed, phonograph, and a host of small goods.

Come and buy your shoes at your own price at the City Auction Market, Barre, Vt., Saturday, Aug. 5, at 2 and 7:30 p. m. Private sale all the time.

O. H. HALE, Auctioneer.

Carload of Horses!

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prizes, and the events were as follows: Event No. 1, speed-judging contest, open to ladies and gentlemen, Kenneth Dickerman of East Granville taking the first prize and Mrs. G. A. Allen the second; event No. 2, cigar-lighting competition, first prize to Mr. Palmer of Wilder and second to G. A. Allen of Randolph; night-riding contest, event No. 3, given to the lady who recognizes the greatest number of tunes, was given to Mrs. A. E. Chandler; event No. 4, gate-driving contest, first prize won by Miss Helen Blanchard of Randolph.

Auction Sale
—OF—
25 COWS

As I wish to fix over my stable and do other repairing on my buildings this fall and as I am unable to milk on account of an accident to my hand last fall, although I have a milking machine, but I am unable to do the stripping, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10
at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at my farm situated on the west hill, adjoining the well-known Morrison farm, and 1½ miles from Barre City, Vt.:

MY ENTIRE HERD OF COWS

TWENTY-FIVE HEAD in all, and a fine lot that I have taken great pains in raising and getting together. They are black and white grade Holsteins, with 2 or 3 exceptions. All young, not an old cow in the bunch, and are nearly all of them large cows; 4 or 5 of them that have very recently freshened, and as many more that are due in the next 2 or 3 weeks; a few that freshened in May and June, and the balance to freshen this fall. These cows have not had a spoonful of grain this season, but are looking well. You will find them to be the kind you are looking for, good, sleek, healthy, profitable cows to buy, and all to be sold to the highest bidder, without reserve, as I mean business. I will also sell at the same time 1 nearly new Empire milking machine with a 3-h. p. engine. This machine is perfect and right in every way and has not missed a milking since it was installed. Remember the date of sale—Thursday, Aug. 10, 1916, at 2 p. m. Terms at time of sale.

A. J. PAQUET, Owner.
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The Times will publish Wants, Lost and Found, For Sale, To Let, etc.—short advertisements—at the rate of four lines for twenty-five cents for the first insertion and five cents for each subsequent insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE—Two-tenement house and barn; large garden; at 19 Eastern Avenue. For further particulars inquire Frank L. Small, Barre. 11716

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for city property—Farm in Washington with 225 acres, land is good tillage and easy to cultivate; estimate 10,000 cts. of wood and plenty of growing crops with farm; building house in good condition and running water to both house and barn. For further particulars tel. 511-4, Barre, Vt. 11714

FOR SALE—6-room cottage in good condition, spring water and good cellar; size of lot 200 ft. wide, 150 ft. rear, also 1 extra lot with timber, size about 1 acre. Apply any time to Mr. Fish, Upper Graniteville, Vt. 11648

FOR SALE—Forty-cow farm; best of land, good buildings, great chance for extensive farming; for a year or more, this farm has been in the hands of F. E. Ferrin, 15 Onward street, tel. 317-4.

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NO. 301 is a nice home on the carline between Barre and Montpelier; large lot 100x215, well-shaded by trees; building house in good condition with stone and brick; 2½ stories; 10 rooms; 2½ baths; 1 fireplace; hot and cold water; spring water; electric lights; piano on 2nd floor; the house; this house was only built 3 years ago; here is one of the homes where anyone wishing to live in a nice place like to live just out the city and have a nice lot of land and be able to keep chickens, etc., would more than enjoy it. I am ready to show it to you at any time, for it is a bargain at the price that we can sell it at. 1001f

NO. 302 is another nice proposition for a home or an investment; this is a 2-tenement house, centrally located, with a lot 50x100, with 4 nice shade trees; house is divided so that there are 9 rooms on one side and 8 rooms on the other, with all modern improvements, electric lights, gas, furnace, hot and cold water; anyone looking for an investment had better look this up, for you could live in one side and rent the other. It is now rented to first-class people and for good large rent. 1001f

NO. 303 is another good proposition, which you do not find very often for sale; a small lot of 45 sq. ft. situated on a beautiful railroad town and near Barre City; this farm is nicely divided into tillage, pasture and woods; land is good, shade trees, a well along the roadside; 2 good fruit orchards; good 8-room house in very good repair; this place if you care to sell, would keep from 8 to 10 cows; if you are looking for a small farm, let me show you this one. 1001f

NO. 304 is a very good 1-man farm of 150 acres, some little distance from Barre but near a good village; nice automobile roads; very productive soil for all kinds of crops; plenty of wood and lumber with this farm; you get 6 cows, bull, number of calves, 1 boy and 1 girl; nice set of farming tools; hand tools of all kinds, gasoline engine and saws, poultry and hens, and firewood all fitted for the stove; moreover, this is a place that you seldom find with such good buildings and location and equipment at such a low price as only \$5,500. 1001f

For further information regarding these or any other real estate, as to price, etc., write or call

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For further information inquire of Charles H. Wisart, at Granite Savings Bank, Barre, Vt. 641f

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FOR SALE—Cottage house, George street. 941f

FOR RENT—House, Maple avenue; \$10.00. 941f

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